RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSISTANCE GRANT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, the State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services, provides tax credits to businesses making donations to programs sponsored by non-profit agencies through the Neighborhood Assistance Act; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council wishes to nominate certain programs for eligibility and consideration but, in order for a community program to qualify for the Neighborhood Assistance Act, it must first be approved by the Town Council; and the Act requires the Town Council to submit a list of approved programs eligible for business investments to the State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services by July 1, 2016; and

WHEREAS, before the Town submits such a list, it is first required to conduct a public hearing for the purpose of hearing eligible proposals for the Neighborhood Assistance Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WEST HARTFORD TOWN COUNCIL that the Town Manager is hereby authorized to submit the Neighborhood Assistance Act Grant Application; and

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Town Manager is directed to publicize the availability of this program and solicit proposals from community groups prior to this hearing.

Van Winkle 05/10/16